

MERIT MAKES IT FAMOUS.

The Only Remedy in the World
Except a Surgical Operation
That Will Certainly Cure
Any Form of Piles.

The study of physicians, the experiments of chemists, the badly advertised pretensions of quacks, have been for years expended in one direction—to find a pile cure that would cure.

The results have been a number of harmless and in most cases useless ointments, suppositories and even internal remedies, which the public have weighed in the balance of experience and found wanting; nearly all of them gave some relief, but nothing approaching a radical cure resulted from these preparations.

The remedy required is one which will immediately stop the pain, so severe in many cases of piles, and then, by contracting the small blood vessels (capillaries) to their normal size, produces a radical cure by reducing and finally absorbing the tumors and healing the inflamed, raw mucous surfaces.

Until a few years ago no such remedy had been produced, but at that time a suppository was placed upon the market which has since proven itself to be the long-sought permanent cure for this common and distressing trouble. It has rapidly become famous throughout the United States and Canada, and is now sold by all druggists under the name of Pyramid Pile Cure.

It is now the best known, because its merit and safety have advertised it wherever used. It has been advertised by word of mouth, from one sufferer to another; people who have tried everything else, even submitting to painful and dangerous surgical operations, without avail, have finally found that piles can be cured without pain and without expense, practically as the Pyramid Pile Cure is sold for the nominal price of 50 cents and \$1.00 per package.

The Pyramid instantly stops all pain and at the same time contains no cocaine, morphine or narcotic; the acids and healing properties contained in the remedy speedily remove, cause a healthy, natural contraction and absorption of the tumors. It will cure any form of rectal trouble except cancer and advanced fistula, which, by the way, nearly always results from neglecting proper and timely treatment for piles.

A look on cause and cure of piles sent free by addressing Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

Dr. BURKHART'S
VEGETABLE
COMPOUND
STRENGTHENS OLD AGE.
Keeps bowels regular and promotes the circulation of the blood. Cures you of all ailments. Well, feel well. See. All druggists.



Your Opportunity Monday, Sept. 28.

I have set aside the above day to perform scientific painless operations for correcting imperfect and deformed features and removing all unsightly blemishes on the face or body. Office open every week day for treating and curing all disorders of the face, neck, scalp and hair. Come and see me. Consultation is free and the strictest privacy assured.

JOHN H. WOODBURY, D. I.,
306 Mermod-Jaccard, ST. LOUIS.

FUMIGATING ONE ROOM COST HER JUST \$500.

Mrs. Albright Put Hot Coals on Sulphur, and Flames Ate Up Furniture.

Reading, Pa., Sept. 26.—Because of typhoid fever cases in the neighborhood, Mrs. George B. Albright of this city placed sulphur on a pan with hot coals and stood it in her bedroom. Leaving the room, she closed all the windows to fumigate the place. While absent the current caught fire, and in a short time there was a big blaze.

Five hundred dollars' worth of furniture, bedding and other articles were destroyed by the flames.

CHINATOWN HONORS KAI CHEU

Empress Has Placed a Price of \$100,000 on His Head.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 26.—San Francisco entertains today a young man with \$20,000 on his head. His name is Leong Kai Cheu, and his station is that of vice president of the Chinese Empire Reform Association. It is the Empress Dowager of China who has offered the enormous reward, equivalent to \$100,000, for his capture, dead or alive.

It is the aim of the Chinese Empire Reform Association to dethrone the Empress and restore to the throne a descendant of the throne. Chinatown is a city with flags and crowds of Chinese from all parts of this and other eastern states in honor of Leong Kai Cheu and his party, who arrived from Portland, Ore., to-day.

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IMMIGRANTS IN A STEAMER PANIC.

The William Fletcher Collides
With Ferryboat and Aliens
Are Crazed by Fright.

TRAMPLED UNDER FOOT.

Accident Due to a Misunderstanding of Signals Near Jersey Side—Hole Torn in Steamer's Deck.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Sept. 26.—Believing that they were all going to the bottom of the river, immigrants, packed like cattle upon the sidewheel steamer William Fletcher, fought and struggled when that boat came into collision with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's ferryboat Newark off Jersey City.

Home-going crowds that packed the ferryboat Newark to the gates became panic-stricken. Men shouted angry protests as they realized the danger they were in, and the women screamed and fainted.

Owing to a misunderstanding of signals, the port side of the ferryboat moved into the slip, crashed into the starboard side of the Fletcher, tearing away several feet of the rail and making a hole in the upper deck.

The force of the shock threw many on the William Fletcher, the smaller boat, to the deck, and immediately there was a wild scene.

Men in the middle of the boat fought with their arms and feet to get through the exits. Women were trampled upon by the men in the rush for safety. Officers of the boat ran among the immigrants and tried to abate the panic, but for a long time their efforts were unsuccessful. When at last the immigrants learned that they were safe all began to cheer.

On the Newark some of the women in the women's cabin were thrown off their feet and men and women alike made a rush for the life preservers. It was reported that one woman named Lee of Newark was bruised by being pushed down and trampled on.

The station master at the Jersey City side stated after the accident that the Newark was coming into the slip on her 4:25 o'clock trip, when she met the William Fletcher going to the Jersey City Pennsylvania depot.

The Fletcher was inches near the slip when the boats came together. She was in St. Thomas Lipton's fleet during the yacht races.

PROMPT RECOGNITION OF E. J. O'NEIL'S ABILITY.

St. Louis Man Promoted to Position of
Rock Island's Commercial Agent
After One Year's Service.

After one year's service with the Rock Island as contracting freight agent, Edward J. O'Neil, who lives at No. 6723 Michigan avenue, has been appointed commercial agent of that company, an office which always carries with it the title and duties of general agent of the St. Louis, Kansas City and Colorado Railroad Company.

The appointment was made recently by E. B. Boyd, general freight agent of the Rock Island, with headquarters at Chicago.



EDWARD J. O'NEIL.
Member of the House of Delegates, recently promoted by the Rock Island.

Mr. Boyd recognized Mr. O'Neil's ability in the railroad field and though the St. Louis man had only been a short time in the service of the great system, his superior officer was prompt to show his appreciation in a palpable form.

Mr. O'Neil is also a member of the House of Delegates from the Eleventh Ward. He has been in the railroad business for sixteen years, serving in various capacities, but always forgoing to the front, in the offices of the Missouri Pacific, Wabash and Iron Mountain lines.

Mr. O'Neil is essentially a St. Louis man, having been educated in the St. Louis University, where he graduated. His many friends are congratulating him on his deserved promotion and predict that a brilliant future, both in politics and the railway field, lies before him.

\$2.50 Round Trip
Evansville, Ind., 11 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 3.
Louisville and Nashville Railroad.

BEGS TO SERVE OUT HIS FATHER'S LIFE TERM.

Atlanta, Sept. 26.—Desiring to take his father's place in the State Penitentiary, where he has served eight years of a life sentence for murder, Doctor W. P. Rushing of Albany wrote Governor Terrell as follows:

"Mine is a strange request. My father is incarcerated in the State Penitentiary under life sentence. He has been there for eight years.

"There is not a mitigating circumstance connected with his crime upon which to base hopes of a pardon. His record as a citizen and in his family was exemplary up to the commission of the crime. He longs for freedom.

"I can see no way to obtain it for him except by substitutionary suffering for him. Is such allowable?"

"If so, I am willing to take his place, at least while he has temporary liberty before he dies."

"Can you grant my request? I will agree to serve out his life sentence as per his life expectancy, should he from any cause fail to report at the Penitentiary at the expiration of the time given him for his liberty."

The murder for which Rushing is serving a life sentence was committed in Thomas County nine years ago. He had a misunderstanding with a man named Lilly, superintendent of a Sunday school in Metcalfe, Ga.

Rushing feared that Lilly would sell his home. One Sunday he went to the Sunday school and shot him.

Lilly ran and Rushing followed him at every step.

Finally Lilly fell and Rushing, in the presence of Lilly's children, took out his knife and cut Lilly's throat.

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See Our High-Class Home Outfits.

2 Rooms furnished complete, with all the furniture, carpets and stoves you need, for

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Terms \$5 Cash, Balance \$1.00 a Week

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Special—1,500 Fine Fruit Bowls—exactly like the picture above—great big bowls—full 10 inches across the top—made of clear crystal glass in new design and fire polished—almost impossible to tell them from real cut glass—positively worth 25c each and many stores ask even more—Monday, and as much longer as the lot lasts, at a price that'll cause no end of talk.

10c

The Store With the White Front.

3 Rooms furnished complete, with all the furniture, carpets and stoves you need, for

\$75.00

Terms \$8 Cash, Balance \$1.25 a Week

Brussels Carpets 40c, 50c, 65c

Velvet Carpets 75c, 90c, \$1

Amster Carpets \$1, \$1.25, \$1.40

Wool Ingrain Carpets 45c, 60c, 75c

Fancy Straw Mattings 10c, 12c, 15c

Good Oilcloths 18c, 24c, 30c

Heavy Linoleums 45c, 55c, 65c

9x12 Brus. Rugs \$8.75, \$11.50, \$14

9x12 Ingrain Rugs \$3.50, \$4.50, \$6

\$100 A WEEK

THE PEOPLE'S

PEOPLE'S STEEL RANGES are without exception the finest that American skill and ingenuity can produce—and each one is fully guaranteed for five years. They are made with roll warming closets—extra warming closet at bottom—duplex grate and kickers feed door—all elegantly nickel trimmed and supplied with extra broiler on top—\$1 a week takes them

\$45.00

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QUICK MEAL

QUICK MEAL STEEL RANGES are too well known to require lengthy comment. Made of polished steel—duplex grate for hard or soft coal—extra heavy linings—16x20-inch oven made of one piece of steel—open doors of one piece, with no corners where grease can gather—six holes on top, with high warming closet—all finely nickel trimmed. Just pay us \$1 a week

\$35.00

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CHARTER OAK

CHARTER OAK "GUARANTEE" Steel Range is a handsome, well-made range with six 8-inch holes on top—18x21-inch oven—roll-top closet—duplex grate for hard or soft coal—fire back warranted for five years—full nickel trimmed, with nickel-kettle holders and towel rod. Delightfully easy terms—\$1 a week

\$32.50

\$100 A WEEK

STANDARD

STANDARD STEEL RANGES—Terms \$1 per week. These ranges are city made and thoroughly guaranteed. Made with six holes on top—steel linings—removable grate—swell front closet doors—nickel drop tea shelf and fire backs guaranteed for three years. Never have you seen so perfect a range at so small a price.

\$27.50

SET HOUSE ON FIRE TO SEE THE ENGINES COME.

Boys Pile Papers in Bathroom and Apply Match—Father Rushes in and Barely Saves Their Lives.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Philadelphia, Sept. 26.—Two small boys, one 2 years old and the other 3 years old, set fire to their home in Germantown just to see the engines come.

That the prank did not result in a tragedy is due to the timely arrival of the father of the youngsters and his prompt action.

Both boys were rescued by their father, Patrick Watson. Fire engines came to the scene and there was excitement in the neighborhood. At the time the Watsons were awaiting the arrival of an ambulance from the Municipal Hospital to take away their infant child, Josephine, 14 months old, for treatment for diphtheria.

"I called in Doctor Baker to see my child, Josephine, who was ill. We had taken her to his office two or three times. He examined the child and pronounced her almost dead. I decided then at the suggestion of the doctor to send the baby to the Municipal Hospital, as we had not proper facilities here to treat the case."

"As the doctor advised me I sent Frank, who is 2 years old, and Eddie, 2 years old, upstairs until the ambulance would come and take the baby away. Josephine was in the kitchen at the time in charge of her mother. The boys went up to make some purchases at the grocery store. On returning home, fifteen minutes later, by the rear of the bathroom window, the bathroom is in the rear of the room in which the two boys were when I left."

"I rushed into the house and up the stairs. Eddie, the 2-year-old boy, was sitting in the hallway and Frank was looking out the front window waiting for the fire engines to come. Smoke had filled the entire second story, and I could see flames in the rear. I hastily picked up Eddie, who was evidently keenly enjoying the spectacle of the house burning, and hurried with him downstairs calling on Frank to follow me, which he did."

"After getting both of them safely downstairs I rushed back calling on my wife to get a bucket of water. I ran through the smoke into the burning bathroom and threw a lot of burning clothes and pictures which we had stored there out of the window. I burned my arms painfully while doing this. By this time my wife had arrived with two buckets of water, and with these I extinguished the blaze before the firemen came to the scene. Neighbors who were also alarmed at the danger of the whole row burning

to the ground had sent in an alarm to the Fire Department."

The Germantown Engine Company and truck No. 8 came in response to a telephone call, but did not go into service. Mrs. Watson had meanwhile, as a precaution, carried the sick infant into a neighbor's house. A half hour later, when the excitement attending the fire had subsided, Josephine was removed to the Municipal Hospital, where she is now under treatment.

Eddie Watson was asked to-day what he and Frank meant by building the fire in the bathroom. He said: "I said: 'Frank said let us build a fire and see the fire engines come.' I said 'All right.' Then we got a lot of paper and put it in a pile in the bathroom. We lit the paper and both went out into the hallway. Then we both waited to see the fire engines come around the corner. I wasn't afraid."

WITH FOOT IN SWITCH HE AWAITED HIS DOOM.

Unable to Extricate Member, Albert Rutkowski Saw Engine Approach and Called in Vain for Help.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—His face white as paper and with a look upon it that was terrible to see, Albert Rutkowski was gripped in the iron jaws of a switch frog and saw the freight train bear down upon him that was to end his life. The accident occurred in the Chicago & Northwestern road yards at Western

avenue and West Fourteenth, where Rutkowski worked as a switchman.

His dinner time had come and he had seated himself at the side of the track and opened his dinner pail. But before he began his lunch he saw that he had left a switch open. A few hundred yards away a switch engine was pulling freight cars about.

Rutkowski left his dinner and closed the switch. Just as he turned back to his dinner his foot caught in the frog.

He tried to take his foot from between the rails. He found that he could not move it. He looked up the track and saw the switch engine backing down upon him, pushing a line of empty freight cars. He cried for help. No one answered. He renewed his struggles to free himself, and all the time the train came nearer, coming slowly but surely. Other switchmen ran toward him. The engineer did not see them nor the man who was caught in the frog. Rutkowski screamed in terror, and when the first car came close to him he put his hands on it as if to push it back. The next instant he was thrown under the wheels and killed. His body was taken to the County Morgue, where Mrs. Rutkowski and her two children went a little later and identified it.

Boy Found Starving.
REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
New York, Sept. 26.—Fifteen-year-old George Bates of Athol, Mass., was found starving in Williamsburg by a policeman. The boy ran away from home to become rich.

SAVE YOUR DAUGHTER.

No. 483 West 88th Street,
New York City, N. Y., April 3, 1903.

Wine of Cardui has been a blessing to my home. I have often found that it was a great relief when I was weary or in pain, but I am especially grateful for what it did for our daughter and only child. I noticed that her menses were tardy and she suffered with headaches and giddiness, nervousness in the abdomen and about the loins. This seriously interfered with her studies and she had to discontinue several of them.

A visitor calling on me and discussing the matter suggested that I give her a course of your Wine of Cardui as it had relieved her daughter of a similar trouble. After my daughter had used it for five weeks I found a great improvement in her looks, health and behavior, in fact she was a different girl. The flow became regular and we have not had any difficulty since.

Lizzie H. Thompson
THOMPSON, BATHORY MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION.

WINE OF CARDUI

Here the menstrual function had not been properly started and the unnatural condition was making the young girl an invalid. The headaches and giddiness, indicated something more than a mere temporary ailment. They were symptoms of a functional weakness which would become more and more aggravated as years went by. But Mrs. Thompson was ready to take advice for her daughter's welfare and she gave the little sufferer Wine of Cardui and now she is a well young woman.

If your daughter is sickly and frequently ailing the letter of this good mother contains the best advice you can follow. Wine of Cardui is the menstrual regulator that cures nine cases out of every ten. Young girls, mothers and middle-aged women find this tonic indispensable. All druggists sell \$1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardui.